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LOCATIONS & HOURS

LIBRARY SQUARE

100 Rock Street | Little Rock | 72201

MAIN LIBRARY

(501) 918-3000

Mon-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM

Main Library is closed for renovations. Services are available at “Mini Main” inside Roberts Library.

BOBBY L. ROBERTS LIBRARY OF ARKANSAS HISTORY & ART

Butler Center for Arkansas Studies

Roberts Library Research Room | (501) 320-5700

Mon-Fri | 9 AM-6 PM | Sat | 12-4 PM | No Curbside

CALS BRANCHES

MILLIE M. BROOKS LIBRARY

13024 Highway 365 South

Wrightsville | 72183 | (501) 537-3186

Tue/Wed/Thu | 9:30 AM-4:30 PM

3rd Tuesday of the Month: 9:30 AM-7 PM | No Curbside

DEE BROWN LIBRARY

6325 Baseline Road

Little Rock | 72209 | (501) 568-7494

Mon | 9 AM-8 PM | Tue-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Sun | 1-5 PM

HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON CHILDREN'S LIBRARY & LEARNING CENTER

4800 West 10th Street

Little Rock | 72204 | (501) 978-3870

Mon-Wed/Fri-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Thu | 9 AM-8 PM

JOHN GOULD FLETCHER LIBRARY

823 North Buchanan Street

Little Rock | 72205 | (501) 663-5457

Mon/Wed | 9 AM-8 PM | Tue/Thu/Fri/Sat | 9 AM-6 PM

MAUMELLE LIBRARY

10 Lake Pointe Drive

Maumelle | 72113 | (501) 851-2551

Mon-Tue/Fri-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Wed-Thu | 9 AM-8 PM

SIDNEY S. MCMATH LIBRARY

2100 John Barrow Road

Little Rock | 72204 | (501) 225-0066

Mon | 9 AM-8 PM | Tue-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Sun | 1-5 PM

RON ROBINSON THEATER

Call for availability | (501) 320-5715

ROCK IT! LAB

(501) 320-5748

501 Makers & The Village | Mon-Fri | 9 AM-6 PM

The River Shop | Sat | 10 AM-4 PM

MAX MILAM LIBRARY

609 Aplin Avenue

Perryville | 72126 | (501) 889-2554

Mon/Wed-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Tue | 9 AM-8 PM

ESTHER DEWITT NIXON LIBRARY

703 West Main Street

Jacksonville | 72076 | (501) 457-5038

Mon/Wed-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Tue | 9 AM-8 PM

OLEY E. ROOKER LIBRARY

11 Otter Creek Court

Little Rock | 72210 | (501) 907-5991

Mon-Wed/Fri-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Thu | 9 AM-8 PM

AMY SANDERS LIBRARY

10200 Johnson Drive

Sherwood | 72120 | (501) 835-7756

Mon | 9 AM-8 PM | Tue-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Sun | 1-5 PM

ADOLPHINE FLETCHER TERRY LIBRARY

2015 Napa Valley Drive

Little Rock | 72212 | (501) 228-0129

Mon | 9 AM-8 PM | Tue-Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Sun | 1-5 PM

ROOSEVELT THOMPSON LIBRARY

38 Rahling Circle

Little Rock | 72223 | (501) 821-3060

Mon/Wed/Fri/Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Tue/Thu | 9 AM-8 PM

SUE COWAN WILLIAMS LIBRARY

1800 Chester Street

Little Rock | 72206 | (501) 376-4282

Mon/Wed/Fri/Sat | 9 AM-6 PM | Tue/Thu | 9 AM-8 PM

DIGITAL SERVICES



Use the CALS app to reserve books or mark them for later from your phone. Find out how the CALS app and apps from our digital content providers can enhance your library experience at cals.org/digital-library.

Flipster

Browse digital versions of the latest issues of popular magazines.

freegal music

Download up to five songs per week or stream unlimited music all day long.

hoopla

Use this digital streaming service to access movies, TV shows, and graphic novels. CALS has a daily budget cap for hoopla borrows, meaning all patrons share a collective daily borrowing limit.

kanopy

Stream thought-provoking films from desktop to TV to tablet.



Borrow eBooks and audiobooks.



Formerly Lynda.com, LinkedIn Learning offers over 16,000 video courses and tutorials taught by industry experts.

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Library Card Basics

2-Hour: Laptops, Chromebooks, DVD players (to be used only inside CALS buildings)

7-Day: New release (high demand) DVDs, tools, weekend bags

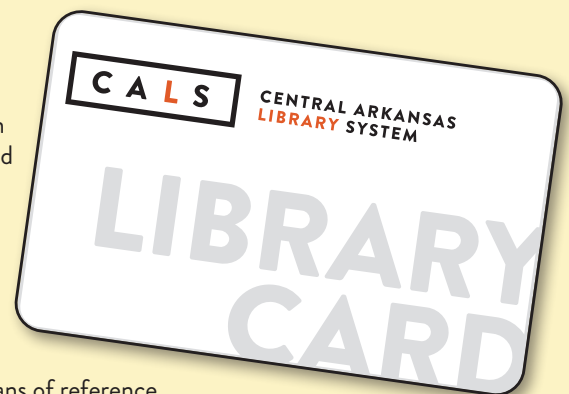
14-Day: New adult books, DVDs (including Binge Boxes), birdwatching kits, circulating magazines, engravers, fishing poles, hotspots, Kill-A-Watt meters, oral history toolkits, telescopes, toys

28-Day: All other items

Extended (vacation) Loans: Items with holds cannot be extended. Extended loan periods, or vacation loans, may be granted at the discretion of a branch manager or department head. To be taken into consideration are the number of items the patron asks to check out; length of extension requested; popularity/demand for items requested.

Non-circulating (Reference): Special loans of reference materials may be made with the permission of the Head of Reference or Branch Managers.

MOBIUS and Interlibrary Loan Materials: The due date for ILL and MOBIUS materials is the later of 14 days from checkout or the date due written on the paper band.



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MARCH EVENTS



Women's History Month programs

Celebrate Women's History Month at CALS with a diverse lineup of events honoring women's contributions to history, art, literature, and film. Learn about the fight for suffrage in Arkansas while creating reproductions of suffrage pennants or explore the power of storytelling in a writing workshop focused on strong female characters. Enjoy a special 30th-anniversary screening of *Waiting to Exhale*, a landmark film celebrating Black female friendship. Create crystal jewelry in a hands-on workshop, or dive into the world of Impressionist painter Mary Cassatt with an engaging film screening. Join us in recognizing and celebrating the voices, artistry, and resilience of women throughout history.

Rock Paper Run

Get ready to hit the pavement for books and community! The Central Arkansas Library System and the North Little Rock Public Library System are teaming up for the Rock, Paper, Run 5K—a family fun run and walk celebrating National Library Week!

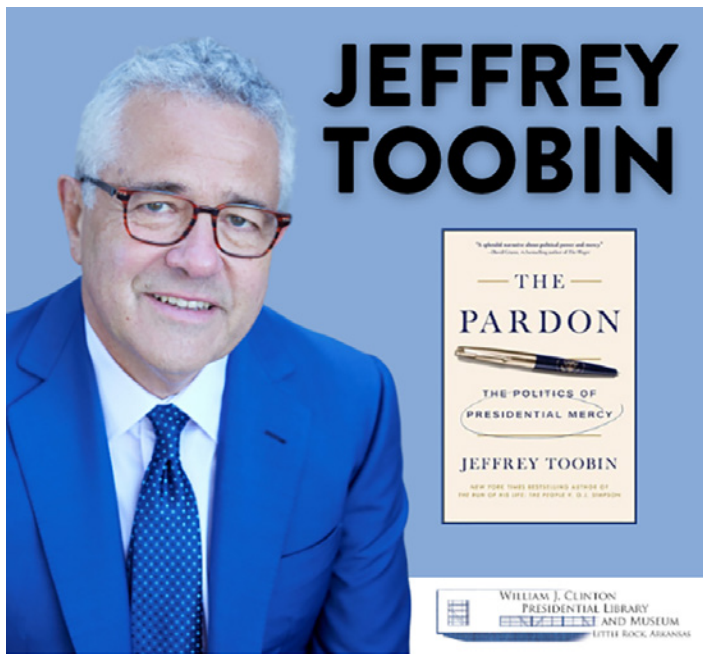
The race kicks off at Argenta Library in North Little Rock and takes you down Broadway, through Riverfront Park, across the Clinton Bridge, and back—connecting our two great library systems in the best way possible.

Dress as your favorite book character, bring the whole family, and join the fun! The Fun Run/Walk is Sunday, April 6, at 7:30 AM, with lineup at 7:00.

New this year—team registration! Sign up with a group of five or more and save \$3 per person. Get your book club, coworkers, or running buddies together and register today!



Visit RockPaperRun.org for details.



Join the Central Arkansas Library System and the William J. Clinton Presidential Library on Wednesday, March 19, for An Evening with Jeffrey Toobin.

The renowned legal analyst and bestselling author of *The Pardon: The Politics of Presidential Mercy* will examine the history and implications of the presidential pardon, focusing on Gerald Ford’s decision to pardon Richard Nixon and its lasting impact on American politics.

An evening with Jeffrey Toobin is at 6:30 p.m. at the CALS Ron Robinson Theater. Moderated by Dr. Jay Barth, Director of the William J. Clinton Presidential Library, this discussion will offer insightful perspectives on power, justice, and the legacies of modern presidencies. The event is free, but you should register at cals.org.

Reading Dragons

The Reading Dragons program encourages kids to read by offering collectible cards featuring dragons, griffins, unicorns, and more fantastical creatures. Caregivers set the reading goals, and as kids hit milestones, they earn these special cards. The more they read, the more magical creatures they collect! At meetings, collectors will be able to get new cards as well as do fantasy-themed crafts/activities.



2FAN

Join us on March 14, 5-8 pm, for 2nd Friday Knit Night (get it?) at the Rock It! Lab. Bring your work-in-progress or start something new while you knit, sip, and socialize. No experience? No problem—we’ll provide supplies and teach you how to knit!

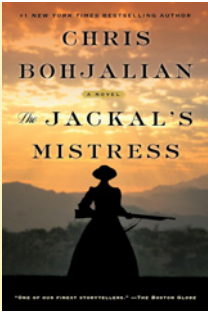
Prom Dress Drive

McMath Library is collecting new or gently used prom dresses, cocktail dresses, shoes, and accessories for our annual Prom Dress Drive! All sizes are welcome—help us make prom dreams come true! Please ensure donations are clean and in good condition. Drop off your items through March 31, and be part of the magic!

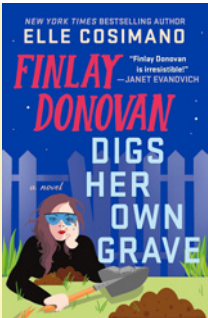
For more details, contact Tracey at teatmon@cals.org or 501-225-0066.



MARCH NEW RELEASES



FICTION
The Jackal's Mistress
by Chris Bohjalian (3/11/2025)



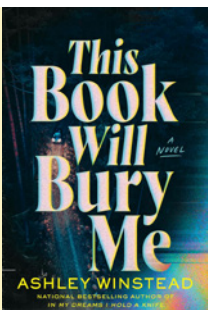
FICTION
Finlay Donovan Digs Her Own Grave
by Elle Cosimano (3/4/2025)



FICTION
A Constant Love
by Tracie Peterson (3/4/2025)



FICTION
Kills Well with Others
by Deanna Raybourn (3/4/2025)



FICTION
This Book Will Bury Me
by Ashley Winstead (3/25/2025)



NON-FICTION
Lorne: The Man Who Invented Saturday Night Live
by Susan Morrison (3/4/2025)



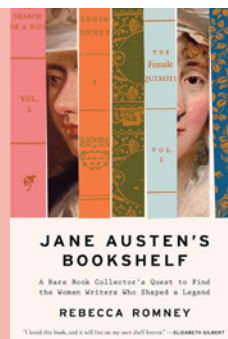
NON-FICTION
Propaganda Girls: The Secret War of the Women in the OSS
by Lisa Rogak (3/4/2025)



NON-FICTION
Super-Italian: More Than 110 Indulgent Recipes Using Italy's Healthiest Foods
by Giada De Laurentiis (3/4/2025)



NON-FICTION
Waste Wars: The Wild Afterlife of Your Trash
by Alexander Clapp



NON-FICTION
Jane Austen's Bookshelf: A Rare Book Collector's Quest to Find the Women Writers Who Shaped a Legend
by Rebecca Romney (3/4/2025)



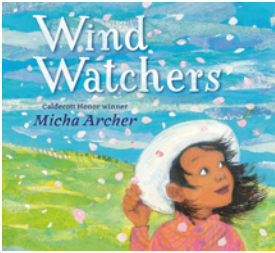
JUVENILE

Sunrise on the Reaping
by Suzanne Collins (3/18/2025)



MUSIC

Blue Sky Sundays
by JD Clayton



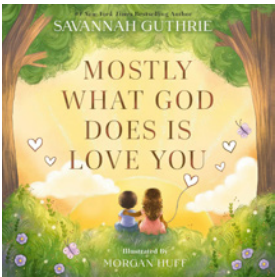
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Wind Watchers
by Micha Archer (3/4/2025)



ADULT DVD

Wicked



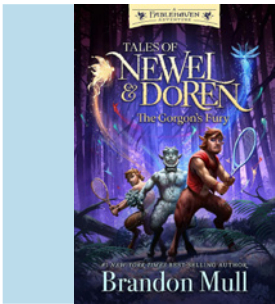
JUVENILE

Mostly What God Does Is Love You
by Savannah Guthrie



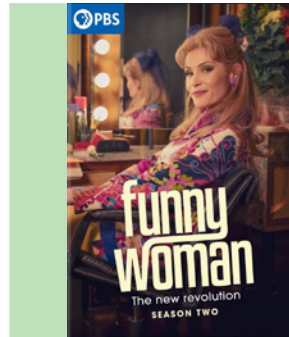
JUVENILE DVD

Rubble & Crew: On the Job!



JUVENILE

The Gorgon's Fury (Tales of Newel and Doren, a Fablehaven Adventure)
by Brandon Mull (3/4/2025)



TELEVISION

Funny Woman: Season 2



JUVENILE

Bree Boyd Is Legend
by Leah Johnson (3/4/2025)



GRAPHIC NOVEL

Young Avengers Modern Era Epic Collection: Not What You Think
by Allan Heinberg



JUVENILE

The Land Knows Me: A Nature Walk Exploring Indigenous Wisdom
by Leigh Joseph (3/4/2025)

PROGRAM INFORMATION

CALS offers innovative programs that promote lifelong learning, connect patrons to technology, and advance knowledge. From storytimes to author talks, CALS has a full schedule with something suited for any age. See the full program calendar at cals.org/events.

Be Mighty This citywide campaign connects kids and teens 18 and under to free meals. bemightylittlerock.org

Count Up This free after-school math tutoring program matches K-12 students with experienced tutors for one-on-one assistance. Spots are full. Sign up for the waitlist at cals.org/countup

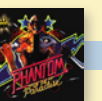
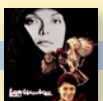
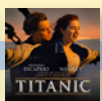
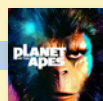
Digital Literacy Whether you're a technology beginner or looking to expand your skills, there's a class for you. Digital Literacy Guides offer friendly, free, one-on-one assistance. cals.org/digital-literacy

Encyclopedia of Arkansas The mission of this free online encyclopedia is to collect and disseminate information on all aspects of the state's history and culture and to provide a comprehensive reference work for historians, teachers, students, and others seeking to understand and appreciate Arkansas's heritage. EncyclopediaOfArkansas.net

Rock It! Lab A partnership of CALS and Advancing Black Entrepreneurship (ABE), the Rock It! Lab provides resources and services, including technical assistance, mentorship, marketing and promotion, networking opportunities, business education, one-on-one instruction, and more to assist entrepreneurs in creating successful businesses. cals.org/rock-it-lab

Writing Circle Get tips and learn techniques for writing from professionals and your peers. Whether it's your memoir, a journal, short story, or novel, the CALS Writing Circle is a community that wants to see you succeed. cals.org

CALS RON ROBINSON THEATER



Planet of the Apes (1968, G)
Saturday, March 1 | 7PM

A Streetcar Named Desire (1951, PG)
Tuesday, March 4 | 7PM

Waiting to Exhale 30th Anniversary (1995, R)
Thursday, March 6 | 7PM

Titanic (1997, PG-13)
Saturday, March 8 | 2PM

Ladyhawke 40th Anniversary (1985, PG-13)
Saturday, March 8 | 7PM

Singin' in the Rain (1952, G)
Tuesday, March 11 | 7PM

Willy Wonka & the Chocolate Factory (1971, G)
Saturday, March 15 | 12:30PM

*Exhibition on Screen:

Mary Cassatt: Painting the Modern Woman
Saturday, March 15 | 4PM | \$10

**The Rocky Horror Picture Show* (1975, R)
Saturday, March 15 | 8PM | \$8

*Author Talk: Jeffrey Toobin
Wednesday, March 19 | 6:30PM | Free

Clueless 30th Anniversary (1995, PG-13)
Thursday, March 20 | 7PM

BingoFlix:

The Phantom of the Paradise (1974, PG)
Friday, March 21 | 7PM

Toy Story 30th Anniversary (1995, G)
Saturday, March 22 | 12:30PM

Lawrence of Arabia (1962, PG)
Saturday, March 22 | 3PM

The Song Remains the Same (1976, PG)
Saturday, March 22 | 8PM

Harvey 75th Anniversary (1950, NR)
Tuesday, March 25 | 7PM

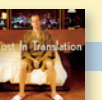
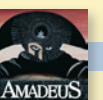
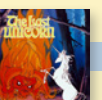
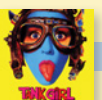
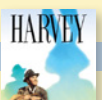
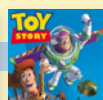
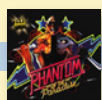
Tank Girl 30th Anniversary (1995, R)
Thursday, March 27 | 7PM

Barbie (2023, PG-13)
Friday, March 28 | 7PM

The Last Unicorn (1982, G)
Saturday, March 29 | 12:30PM

Amadeus (1984, R)
Saturday, March 29 | 3PM

Lost in Translation (2003, R)
Saturday, March 29 | 7PM



Get tickets at RonRobinsonTheater.org | *Films are \$5 unless otherwise noted.